ALBANY, TRX., May 16, 1886 — Editor GAZETTE: It response to THE GAZETTE's request, perhaps a few brief remarks relative to the administration of our laws nuder the present jory system, may, in consection with the present pays and a property of the present pays and pays the pays der the present jory system, msy, in con-nection with other articles printed on the same subject matter, have the tendency to bring before the politic the necessity of our law maters making an effort to correct the flagrant abuse of this right of trial by jory, even if the system itself be abolished to give place to more effective means of punishing evidours. Like all other rights and privileges of an ancient origin bequeathed to us, in whose efficacy our progenitors trusted, we are lost to our progenitors trusted, we are loth to attack this sacred fort, whose walls have been such a formidable barrier to arbi-trary powers. It stands out in the bill of rights in this torcible language: "The right of trial by jury shall remain lawlate. The legislature shall pass such laws as may be needed to regulate the same, and to maintain its purity and efficiency."
It is to "maintain its purity and efficiency,"
that some remedial laws should be passed, and, if none can be found to sustain the element of purity that has made it so sacred to the ages past, let us in this rushing nineteenth century, who think more of our private affairs and business relations than we do of the purity of the right of trial by jury, rather than destroy its efficiency by using it as a protection for criminals against the just mandates of a violated law, consign it to an honorable grave. There is no doubt together two terms consecutively, nor that in the justice and county courts in misdemenance cases and minor civil suits secutive terms. The judges responsible to the people, under such a system, the the ends of justice could be more speedl. to the people, under such a system, the ly reached and the interests of all parties trial of causes will reach as near perfecis reached and the interests of all parties more equitably adjusted without the intervention of a jury. Men who usually sit upon our juries are unwilling marryrs, as it were, to the duties of citzenship, and give very gradgingly to the great state of Texas the time mace from their business occupations. Consequently verificits by lot and verdicts against the best juries by lot and verdicts against the best juries of men who would rather judgments of men who would rather be wiped out of existence as a remnant of friends of the stubborn arguments of friends of the accused than to be cooped up in the jury room neglecting their business, are common results of the workings which brought the jury system into expense of our present jury system. The integrity and hopear of these best and the laws connected therewith should and has the advantage in many respects, if the first venire is composed of good and qualified jurous, the defendant will almost examine the challenges be is entitled to, in order to compare another venire summons, and then the officer to a summons. The integrity and hopear of these many respects, if the first venire is composed of good and qualified jurous, the defendant will almost examine the challenges and interested in the first venire is composed of good and qualified jurous, the defendant will almost examine the challenges and interested in the first venire is composed of good and qualified jurous, the defendant will almost examine the challenges and interested in the first venire is composed of good and qualified jurous, the defendant will almost examine the challenges and interested in the first venire is composed of good and qualified jurous, the defendant will almost examine the challenges and interested in the first venire is composed of good and qualified jurous, the defendant will almost examine the challenges and interested in the first venire is composed of good and qualified jurous, the defendant will almost examine the first venire is composed of good and qualified jurous, the defendant will almost examine these.

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that tweive men of the people, im-partially chosen, silently come, hear authorize the county attorney to issue

3 Once per amount the county com-missioners should furnish the cierk of the district court with a list of the names of all persons qualified to sit as jurors. Stips containing these cames should be changes, etc. I think the present grand drawn from a box by the clerk in open court for the next succeeding term of that court, and for the courty court as well. There is a strong suspicion that appear before them to writing, and comthe present system is not carried out to pel the witness to sign his name to his the letter.

the beginning of each week is expansive have a direct way to make him answer for

and bungling. 5. Keeping a jury in custody in crim-mal cases should be anolished. It is an spolegy for the system we ought to be justice. I think the present law requiring ashamed of, as the inference is jurymen to be selected by a jury commisashamed of, as the interests is that the jurors would be dishoned in the jury mention of his present in the Union's soon adopt a system specified precincts. For this reason the under which all causes, civil and criminal, shall be decided by a beach of three judges, with a circuit so organized that the same three judges shall not sit together two terms consecutively, nor

objectionable and unworthy.

The list of exemptions from jury duty should be reduced to physicians, druggists, school teachers and those physically incapacitated. Under the present elastic exense system compulsory jury service is a farce.

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BRECKENHIDGE, TEX., May 24 .- Editor GARRIER: Yours to hand concerning my opinion as to the jury law, necessary changes, etc. I think the present grand 4. The jurers drawn should be required to sit for the entire term. The present system of organizing a jury at willfully makes different statements, we perjury. For the petit-jury law, I think some changes should be made, and if made would better secure the ends of jurymen to be selected by a jury commis-sion should be repealed, so asto supower commissioners are from different parts of the county, and are likely to be better judges of the qualification and dis-qualification of jurymen than three men who act as such at each term of district

One of the main defects in the present jury system, and this defect is instrumenial inturning criminals loose every day, that should receive the punishment due them to the extent of the law: that is allowing the defendant twenty peremptory MARTIN COUNTY. challenges, and only ten for the state. In my opinion the state and defendant should be entitled to an equal number of GAZETTE, I believe the jury system and peremptory challenges to the panel of all the laws connected therewith should jurors in all criminal cases. The defend-

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